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THE cost of the pension roll is \$1.75 a year for every man, woman and child in the United States.

THE peace envoys are to receive \$200 per day. No wonder they are taking their time. The job is good for all winter.

THE cost of the world's war, since the Crimean war has been \$12,263,000,000, or enough to give \$10 to every man, woman and child on the globe.

It has been estimated that should any one desire to purchase the railways of the world his outlay would amount to something like \$36,080,000,000.

JUDGE WILLIAM H. POTE in the district court at Roswell, has decided that if a married man in New Mexico expects to give a good deed to his property, he must plan upon getting his wife's signature to the instrument to make it valid.

SINCE the war began Russia has drawn down her treasury balance 451,000,000 rubles, used up a special war fund of 140,000,000 and borrowed 1,710,000,000 rubles, showing that the war has been costing her about 5,000,000 rubles—\$2,500,000—daily.

FOR the race meet at the Northern New Mexico Fair in Las Vegas this fall, the association has hung up purses amounting to \$3,000. All the horses that go to the Territorial Fair at Albuquerque will go to Las Vegas, the dates following each other so closely that it is very convenient to do.

Shadow and Substance.

LAWYERS are supposed to be little given to sentiment, yet it has remained for the most successful lawyer in New York City—Mr. Elihu Root, the new Secretary of State—to make an aphorism that deserves to become classic. When Mr. Root was named to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Secretary Hay, it was everywhere recognized that the choice made him more than ever a probable candidate for the presidency in 1908. With this in mind, a Western man telegraphed him: "If you are willing to take up official burdens, would it not be best to wait three years for the substance rather than take the shadow now?"

Mr. Root's reply was, "my feeling is that the things one has an opportunity to do are substance, and the things one tries to get are shadow."

No man is better able to make such a remark than the Secretary of State. The law practice which he left when he entered President McKinley's cabinet was generally considered to be the most lucrative in New York, and since he returned to it it is known to have increased. Thus the "shadow" which he has again relinquished is precisely that which the translators of the Old Testament called "substance." But his work in the War Department and as an adviser to the President in other departments is the achievement which has made him known and respected throughout the whole country.

Sordidness—the love of money and the desire to have it at any price—has been the stigma which European nations have fixed upon the people of the United States. But now and then some

great American puts into modern English the old truth, that "a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth."—Youth's Companion.

A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute, but give the old-fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as the first indication of any bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by all druggists.

SUIT FOR FAILURE TO FULFILL CONTRACT.

In the Fourth Judicial district court for San Miguel county, Isaac and Simon Bacharach have filed suit against Incento Lobato, alleging that the defendant contracted to sell them his wool clip at 14½ cents a pound, delivery to be made in July, but that when the time for the delivery arrived said defendant refused to comply with his contract, the price of wool then having risen to twenty-five cents a pound. The plaintiffs have also brought a similar suit against Jesus Gallegos, of Guadalupe county, claiming damages in the sum of \$500, with interest and costs.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation." For sale by all druggists.

Delegates Appointed.

Governor Otero has appointed the following delegates from New Mexico to the annual meeting of the National Prison Association of the United States, Lincoln, Nebraska, October 21 to 26, 1905: Judge John R. McFie, H. O. Bursum, Mrs. H. O. Bursum, A. L. Morrison, J. E. Wood, Rev. A. M. Harkness, Mrs. A. M. Harkness, Mrs. Agnes James, José D. Sena, all of Santa Fe.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. There is not one of them, however, who may not be brought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. They also regulate the bowels. For sale by all druggists.

An Indiana editor printed the following: "The fellow who is courting a certain married woman had better leave town as the husband is onto him." The paper had not been out long before every man in town had left except three old cripples and a man who didn't take the paper.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all druggists.

## BIG THEFT OF SHEEP FROM FRASER RANCH

William Fraser, the extensive sheep raiser of Torrance county arrived in Albuquerque last Friday and reported to Captain J. F. Fullerton, of the New Mexico mounted police, that rustlers had driven off a large bunch of sheep. The exact number of sheep stolen, Mr. Fraser was unable to state, but it is said to have been several hundred.

Ranger Putnam was dispatched to the Fraser ranch, and there he will meet Ranger Dick Huber from Santa Fe, and some cowboys from the Chaves ranch, and all will go in pursuit of the rustlers, who are believed to have a rendezvous in the mountains nearby.

The theft of the Fraser sheep was the work of an organized band. A short time ago the same band raided the ranch of James W. Chaves and drove off a large herd of cattle. A posse of cowboys, headed by Chaves, went in pursuit, and after several days hard riding overtook the rustlers who succeeded in making their escape in the darkness, but were forced to abandon the cattle.

It is said that the mounted police will be kept at work in Torrance county and the surrounding country, until the band is finally captured or exterminated.—Albuquerque Citizen.

## TELEPHONE COMPANY STRINGING POLES

General Construction Foreman McNeill Arrives From Denver.

Murray McNeill, general foreman of construction for the Colorado Telephone company has arrived in Albuquerque from Denver and will remain there for a few days to take care of the new work which has already commenced in that section. Mr. McNeill says that the stringing of poles on the new Colorado line from Las Vegas began at that point last week and the work will continue rapidly until completed. "Albuquerque will have one of the best local telephone exchanges in the United States when our work is completed as outlined," said he, "and your toll line will put you in touch with the rest of the country." Mr. McNeill has been with the Colorado people many years and has had charge of all the big improvements which have recently been made by that company.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyler, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Socorro Drug and Supply Co. 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

## CATTLE SANITARY BOARD ESTABLISHES QUARANTINE

The Territorial Cattle Sanitary Board has established a quarantine along the Texas border and has stationed two range riders to see that no stock is brought across without first having been dipped, inspected and pronounced free from scab. The cattle of Frank Manzanares, in San Miguel County on the Las Vegas grant, having been found to be infected, is also placed under quarantine by the board and the owner ordered to dip the animals as required by law.

A little forethought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale by all druggists.

## GETTING OUT A HUGE CHUNK OF COAL

Superintendent of the Hagan Coal Fields Begins Work Getting Out a Block of Coal That Will Weigh Six Tons.

The officers of the Fair association have been notified that J. W. Sullivan, superintendent of the Hagan, New Mexico coal mines, has begun the work of mining the biggest lump of coal ever taken out of the ground, which will be exhibited at the New Mexico fair in this city next month. Some time ago Col. Hopewell, general manager of the Hagan mines, promised the Fair association the biggest lump of coal on record. He instructed Superintendent Sullivan to dig it out and the work is under way.

The largest lump of coal ever mined weighed five tons and was exhibited at the St. Louis fair, where it formed one of the features of the Mines and Metallurgy building. The lump to be exhibited here will weigh six tons and will break all records for this kind of mining.—Albuquerque Citizen.

## DRY FARMING IN GRANT COUNTY.

Corn as Good as That Found in the States of Iowa and Nebraska, is Successfully Grown.

The following item from the Silver City Enterprise will be of interest to people all over the territory, being an added proof and illustration of the efficacy of dry farming by the Campbell soil culture method in the arid west:

"One of the finest stands of corn that has ever been grown anywhere, not excepting the great corn states of Iowa and Nebraska, is that to be seen on John Coleman's ranch, three miles east of Silver City. It is true there is not very much of it, there being only six acres, but from this six acres Mr. Coleman expects to gather from sixty to seventy-five bushels to the acre, and this without irrigation of any sort—in other words by dry farming. Some of the stalks have already reached a height of six to eight feet and their growth under the conditions, is simply astounding to one not acquainted with results obtained in this rich soil, even when unattended by water. W. F. Paynter, C. G. Jenks and D. C. Lankford, etc., have fine stands of corn grown without irrigation and simply dependent upon the moisture in the earth and air for their support."

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Socorro Drug and Supply Co., price 25c.

"A man may wear what he wants to," says J. Pierpont Morgan, "so long as he pays his tailor." In that harsh qualifying clause is found the reason why a large number of men don't wear what they want to.

Fiendish Suffering

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for ulcers, sores and cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at Socorro Drug and Supply Co., guaranteed.

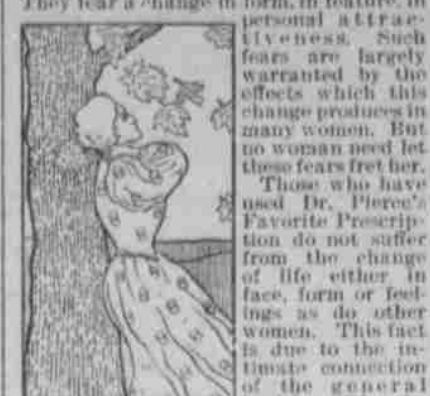
Opportunity has an exasperating way of calling on a man when he's out.

In some cases a stroke of good luck is almost as bad as a stroke of lightning.

Generally speaking the nature of an oath is mostly human nature.

Young cow ponies for sale. Apply to F. Fischer.

When life's autumn comes, women, worn out by the burdens of motherhood, set shrink from that second "change of life" which will burden them forever. They fear a change in form, in feature, in personal attractiveness. Such fears are largely warranted by the effects which this change produces in many women. But no woman need let these fears fret her.



Those who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription do not suffer from the change of life either in face, form or feeling as do other women. This fact is due to the intimate connection of the general health with the health of the organs peculiarly feminine. By preserving the health of these organs, and relieving the system from the debilitating drains, ulcers and inflammations which sap its health, "Favorite Prescription" paves the way for this natural change to come in Nature's way, without the loss of capacity to please others or personal inability to enjoy life.

Your "Favorite Prescription" brought me safely through that difficult period, called "change of life," writes Mrs. Mary Ensign, of St. E. Anselm St., Portland, Oregon. "This change made a very unpleasant disturbance through my entire system. I had hot and cold flashes, sick headaches, became excited, disoriented, nervous and irritable. My appetite was fitful and for days I was unable to eat a fair meal. My aunt recommended me to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it made a great change for the better. Within two weeks the unpleasant feelings had disappeared. I have a husband and eight children so have the care of a large family but was able to attend to my household duties without any difficulty and passed the period without any more trouble. I can recommend your 'Favorite Prescription' as a grand medicine for women."

You may be willing that somebody else should say that their baby is "just as good" as yours, but you don't want that baby substituted for yours. Let doctors say what they like about other medicines being "just as good" but don't let them substitute anything for "Favorite Prescription." It is absolutely unequalled.

## THE AGE OF STARS.

Color Aids the Astronomer in Making His Calculations.

As a star contracts from the surrounding nebulous matter from which it was thrown off its temperature rises, and with this augmented heat occurs a change both in the star's spectrum and color. Red-hot iron is not nearly so hot as white-hot iron. By observing the various changes in tint which the metal undergoes the foundryman is able to tell with considerable accuracy its degree of heat. A somewhat similar method of gauging a star's temperature, and therefore its age, is relied upon by the astronomer. Color, then, and spectroscopic analysis enable the astronomer to estimate the age of stars that are only beginning to exist as stars and others whose light is fast fading.

After having coagulated, as it were, from nebulous mass, a star assumes a color that may be best described as an intense bluish white, much like that of the electric arc. Stars of that hue are, therefore, in their infancy. Then comes the white stage, followed by the yellow, orange and red, each succeeding hue indicating greater celestial antiquity than the last. Up to the yellow period the star as it contracts grows hotter and hotter. Then a gradual cooling takes place. Accompanying the changes in color are changes in the spectrum of the star—changes that indicate a modification in physical structure. In the bluish white period of a star's infancy the characteristic wide lines of hydrogen gas predominate in the spectrum. As the color changes, the lines of calcium, magnesium and iron appear, the hydrogen lines gradually becoming thinner and those of calcium broader.—Booklovers Magazine.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Socorro Drug and Supply Co., price 50c.

Excessive modesty has kept many a deserving man's nose to the grindstone.

An assortment of fancy stationery at The Chieftain office.



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South	SOCORRO.	North
1:55 a.m.	Passenger.....	4:20 a.m.
1:59 p.m.	Fast Freight.....	1:55 a.m.
2:15 p.m.	Local Freight.....	10:00 a.m.

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If you are in need of an irrigating plant, windmill or pump, or a scale of any kind, write us about it. We can please you.

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MASONIC.

SOCORRO LODGE, No. 9, A. F. & A. M.—Regular communications, second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

JAS. P. CHASE, W. M. C. G. DUNCAN, Secretary.

SOCORRO CHAPTER No. 8, R. A. M.—Regular convocations first and third Tuesdays of each month.

JOHN E. GRIFFITH, E. H. P. C. G. DUNCAN, Secretary.

MAGDALEN CHAPTER No. 9, Order of the Eastern Star.—At Masonic Hall first and third Mondays of each month.

MRS. MARY G. DUNCAN, W. M. E. A. DRAKE, Secretary.

K OF P.

RIO GRANDE LODGE, No. 3, K. of P.—Regular meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at Castle hall. Visiting knights given a cordial welcome.

R. W. LEWIS, C. C. S. C. MEER, K. of R. and S.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office, at Las Cruces, N. Mex., August 21, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. H. Kirpatrick, U. S. Court Commissioner, at his office at Mogollon, N. M., on September 30, 1905, viz: Valdivia Vigil, for the NW 1/4, Sec. 19, T. 7 S., R. 18 W., N. M. P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Filomeno Uribe of Frisco, N. M.; Emil Kiehn of Frisco, N. M.; Florentino, Trujillo of Cooney, N. M.; Tomas Martinez of Mogollon, N. M.

JEROME MARTIN, Register.

House to Rent.

House to rent. Six rooms with bath. C. T. Brown.